

# SYRIA CAPITAL SURROUNDED

## Nazis Defy United States in Torpedoing of S. S. Robin Moor

### Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor  
—ALEX. H. WASHBURN—

#### More About the Proving Ground

From an old friend in Washington, D. C., I have received an illuminating letter regarding the military Proving Ground to be established north of Hope. It is particularly important because this man has no connection with the Hope territory, and his report therefore is quite disinterested. And because it is an "off the record" letter to a friend his name must be withheld. What he writes is this:

### Red River to Reach 27½ Feet This Saturday

#### Danger Believed Lessened, and Peak of 30 Feet Is Unlikely

Red river rose between six and eight inches overnight Thursday to a new high for the season of 24½ feet at 7 o'clock Friday morning, Fulton reported.

Flood stage is 25 feet. The river will go beyond flood stage, but Fulton observers said Friday noon that the peak would probably be not more than 27½ feet—considerably lower than the peak of 30 feet previously forecast by the government.

The original forecast was for a peak of 30 feet by Sunday. It now appears the river will reach 27½ feet by Saturday, and start falling.

While there was little or no anxiety at Fulton at a more serious threat was reported at Index, where between 300 and 400 men were called out to reinforce the river levee in expectation of a 30-foot crest Sunday.

River observers now believe, however, less water is coming down Red river than was originally feared.

### Attempt to Rob Bank Fails

#### Two Youths Try to Hold Up Wheatley Bank

WHEATLEY, Ark.—(P)—Two nervous young white men unsuccessfully attempted to rob the Rice Growers Bank here Friday but fled empty-handed when a woman shopper drove to the front of the bank to park.

The two men wore a heavy growth of beard, wore clothes, and fled south on Highway 78 in a pickup truck.

### Proposal on Strike Bound Plants Favored

WASHINGTON—(P)—The house military committee Friday approved a proposal which would permit President Roosevelt to take over strike-bound defense plants whose management refused to utilize federal conciliation or mediation services.

### Mr. and Mrs. Robison to Denver Rotary

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Robison left Hope Friday morning on a motor tour to Denver, Colo., where they will attend the convention of Rotary International June 13-22.

### CRANIUM CRACKERS

Know Your Nation  
See America first is the slogan in these days of curtailed travel abroad. If you've followed the suggestion, you shouldn't have any trouble with these questions about our United States.

1. How many times larger is the state of Texas than the state of Rhode Island?
  2. Which three states are entirely bounded by straight lines?
  3. Does the Mississippi river run through the state of Mississippi?
  4. Which state has the longest coast line?
  5. Which state is cut in two by two lakes, and what are the names of the lakes?
- Answers on Comic Page

### Sank Others Before Robin Moore, Is Boast

#### Robin Moor Went Down in 23 Minutes, a Survivor Reports

BERLIN—(P)—Authorized German sources said Friday "we won't be buffaloed by America and England concerning the sinking of the Robin Moor."

"Whenever any ship with contraband sails for England we'll shoot it, whether it is the Robin Moor or the Ex-Moore," these sources declared.

(The Robin Moor, 5,000-ton American ship which was sunk in the South Atlantic May 21, bound for Capetown, South Africa, was formerly the Ex-Moore.)

Authorized sources said that many ships enroute to England already had been sunk and "Germany is in no hurry about participating in discussion of this incident."

"The question is military," the sources declared, "but American quarters are giving it a political angle in order to further a war psychosis."

"And of course," it was added, "England cries in every manner to make political capital thereof."

#### Down in 23 Minutes

RECIFE, Brazil—(P)—A survivor of the American ship Robin Moor declared Friday that armed German seamen occupied the 4,999-ton ship and seized her radio to prevent her from flashing an SOS, just before a German torpedo sent her to the bottom.

The Robin Moor dipped under the waves in the Atlantic within 23 minutes after the passengers and crew took to lifeboats in the early morning of May 21, this survivor said.

He said there was no trace of panic as the ship's company, men, women and children, took to the lifeboats. He especially expressed admiration for the child, a 4-year-old boy.

#### Well's Statement

WASHINGTON—(P)—Sumner Wells, Undersecretary of State, asserted Friday that the facts on the sinking of the Robin Moor were undisputed and showed indirectly a violation of international law.

"Reports of the survivors of the Robin Moor were very clear and there could be no dispute as to the facts," Wells asserted at a press conference.

As to what action the U. S. would take, Wells said he would withhold consideration until news of full disposition of survivors could be received and investigated.

### German-Russian Dispute Hinted

#### Reports Say Nazis Made Demands of Soviet

MOSCOW—(P)—Soviet Russia reported Friday that German troops, freed from operations in the Balkans, were moving to eastern and northeastern Germany (where they face Russia), but added that it must be assumed that the move had no bearing on German-Russian relations. Tass, official Russian news agency, issued the statement which was broadcast by radio.

#### British Diplomatic Move

LONDON—(P)—British dreams of a Soviet Russian-German disagreement bordering on active warfare were nourished Friday by repeated but unconfirmed reports that Berlin demands on Russia were of such magnitude that acceptance would lose Moscow's military hold on the Balkans and the Black sea.

The British ambassador to Moscow and government leaders were primarily concerned with German-Russian relations on emphasized reports of disagreement and Nazi concentrations on the Soviet border, fitting into the British diplomatic war to scare Russia, this might force the USSR into a more friendly relation with Britain and eventually possible entrance into the war.

Reliable sources said the demands by the Germans had been received in Moscow and were being studied.

A new process of treating them chemically with salts, converts fresh water fish into salt water seafood in Hungary.

### Economic Revolution in South Makes Florida the Second Biggest Beef-Producing State in America

#### \$3 a Year Keeps Cattle in Sun-Kissed Citrus Land

By NEA Service  
MIAMI, Fla.—(P)—QUESTION (guaranteed to stick you know-it-all friends): What state, after Texas, is the largest producer of beef cattle in the U. S. A.?

ANSWER: Florida.

Yes, Florida. Ten years ago this land of sun-kissed citrus fruit and sun-kissed bathing beauties stood twentieth on the list. Now, with an estimated 1,300,000 head of cattle, it stands second.

This is but one indication of the astounding economic revolution taking place throughout the whole southeastern tidewater area as the thunder of hoofbeats, the sharp slap of chaps against horseflesh and loud "Yippies" wake up the once "sleepy South."

The rise of beef cattle production throughout the southeast has been nothing short of meteoric. From the mid-west thousands of husky Herefords and other breeds have been imported to improve the long-horned native Spanish stock. Boys and girls in 4-H and F. F. A. farm clubs have taken an active and important interest in the work.

#### \$3 a Year Keeps Cattle

There are many reasons why the Southeast has proved suitable to cattle raising. For one thing, year-round pastures and plenty of water make it possible to raise cattle for the amazingly low cost of \$3 per head per year.

Pasture is cheap and plentiful. Many acres which formerly went to cotton and tobacco in the Carolinas are now growing grain for fodder. More important, perhaps, has been the development of a feed from citrus and sugar cane waste—once a bane to industry.

Only a few months ago two southern agricultural schools gave their full approval to the use of dried and shredded citrus waste as a highly nourishing food for both beef and dairy cattle. Florida alone produced

over 18,000 tons of this feed last year and is building about a dozen new plants to process it in the future.

Cooperation of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, railroad livestock men and university extension students has been invaluable. Every year these three groups jointly run a cattle development train through the South. Prize cattle are displayed and the latest information on breeding and raising cattle is distributed throughout the South.

#### Yes, There's A Rodeo, Too

Florida has even gotten to the rodeo stage. Kissimmee, the state's largest cattle town, has one of these wild west jamborees annually. It's by looking at the number and expertness of the cow hands at this rodeo that you get an idea of the importance of the business. Otherwise, except during the November roundups you might never be aware of the cattle.

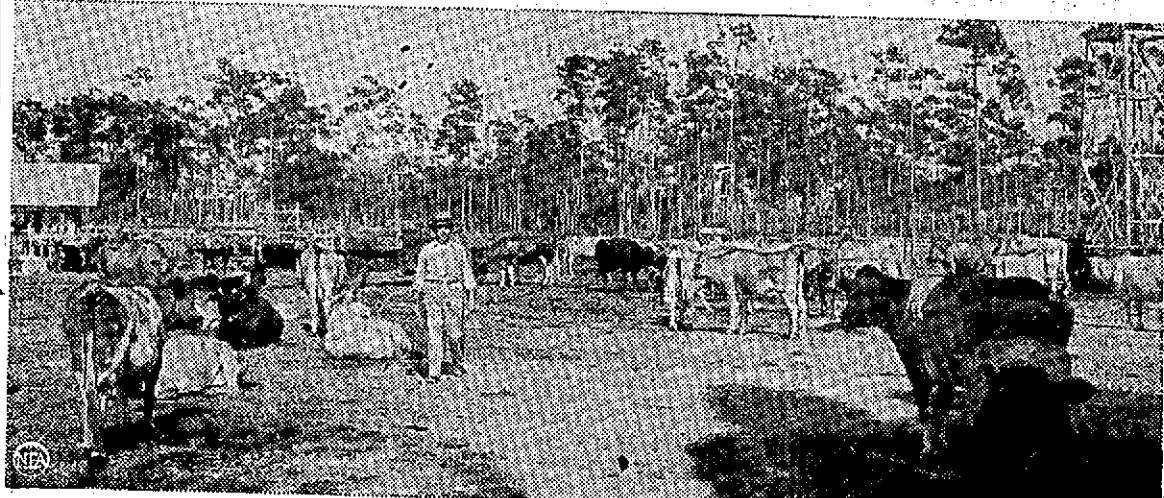
Unlike the huge Texas herds, the South's beef cattle herds are small, spread out over immense interior prairies. But in the aggregate they overshadow all other states except the great cattle cradle, Texas itself.

#### A Thought

Let the punishment be equal with the offense.—Cicero.



To the thunder of hoofs and Wild West "Yippies!" the South's new cowboys greet the Livestock Development Special as it arrives at Arcadia, Fla., where several large cattle ranches are located.



A stand of southern slash pine makes an unusual background for a cattle ranch picture. The livestock shown above is part of the herd of O. B. Parker, at Homestead, Fla.

### Sen. Spencer in Capital Press

#### Appears in Feature Column of Times-Herald

The following article about Hope's United States senator, Lloyd Spencer, appeared in the "Did You Happen to See" column of the Washington Times-Herald for June 6, a column conducted by Leon Pearson:

Lloyd Spencer and Homer Adkins were boys together. One wanted to be a banker, and the other a politician. Spencer got a job as assistant cashier in the bank at Hope, Ark. Adkins looked forward to the day when he might be sheriff of Pulaski county.

When that time came, Spencer backed Adkins for sheriff, and he kept on backing him until he became governor of Arkansas.

Then, one day last spring, Adkins turned about and put Spencer in the United States Senate.

If somebody asked you to name the two Senators from Arkansas, you would start with Mrs. Caraway, and then you would be stuck. Lloyd Spencer is both new and quiet. He never did like politics, and he wouldn't want the seat if he had to campaign for it.

When Senator John E. Miller stepped out, Governor Adkins had to find somebody who wanted two years in Washington, and no more. Arkansas law specifies that if a man gets a seat by appointment, he may not be a candidate to succeed himself.

That was all right with Lloyd Spencer.

He was glad to have a two-year look-see at Washington. Life for him has revolved around the bank at Hope, where he rose from assistant cashier to cashier to president, and where he still goes to work at the unfashionable hour of 8—or, he did until April, when he began going to work in the Senate at the same hour.

Not many people are stirring on Capitol Hill at 8. Lloyd Spencer understands.

### Junior C. of C. Launches Drive

#### Cecil Dennis, Dick Moore Captain Two Teams

Hope Junior Chamber of Commerce, with more than 100 members already enrolled, Friday launched a membership drive under two team captains, Cecil Dennis and Dick Moore.

As explained by President Vincent Foster, the plan is for each team member to report new enrollments to his team captain, and at the end of the contest the losing group will entertain the victors.

The team line-ups follow:  
Cecil Dennis—Milton Mosier—A. R. Arrington—Roy Allison—Dewey Baber—W. D. Bailey—H. E. Besancon—Charles Boyd—R. L. Broach—Herbert Burns—K. G. Caplinger Jr.—Leo Compton—Terrill Cornelius—Lamar Cox—Elbert Davis—Frank Douglas—Bobby Ellen

Dick Moore—Oliver Adams—Noel Alford—L. Armstrong—Collin Bailey—Utha Barnes—Joe Black—E. J. Briggs—Pete Brown—Howard Byers—Guy Card—Clyde Coffee—Ray Cumble—Robert Daniels—David Day—W. M. Duckett—Leonard Ellis

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### Unity Baptist Revival Meet

#### Two Weeks Revival to Begin Here June 15

A revival meeting will begin Sunday June 15 at the Unity Missionary Baptist church on Elm street and continue for two weeks, it was announced here Friday.

Preparations for the revival has been in progress for some time and included prayer meetings and visiting of church members.

The meeting will be conducted by the Rev. W. F. Lovelady, the pastor, the Rev. Z. W. Swafford, announced. The public is invited.

### Erosion Control Vital, Says Poe

#### Must Be Carried on Whether in Peace or War

The importance of continuing the soil-conserving policies of the federal government at a time when National Defense demands may require sharp limitation of "non-defense" appropriations was pointed out to Hope Rotary club Friday noon by Buford Poe of the local Soil Conservation Service office.

Soil erosion control was established in Homestead county six years ago this coming July, Mr. Poe told the club. "And while we have made progress it is unfortunately true," he said, "that over America as a whole we still are not restoring the soil as fast as it is being washed away."

Ninety-two per cent of the South's population still depends on agriculture, he said, and the control of erosion remains an essential government activity whether in peace or war.

Mr. Poe was introduced on a program arranged by Terrell Cornelius. Ted Jones led the club in group singing.

It was announced that there would be an inter-city Rotary meeting at Loda hotel, Prescott, with the Prescott Rotary club as host, Tuesday night, June 17, when Dr. Fred Keller, former district governor, will be the speaker.

#### Canada's most thickly populated district, as well as areas seldom touched by white men, are in the province of Quebec.

#### COTTON

By the Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	13.72	13.77	13.69	13.87
October	13.92	14.08	13.89	14.08
December	14.06	14.20	14.01	14.18
January	14.06			14.18
March	14.11	14.28	14.04	14.27
May	14.11	14.28	14.07	14.28
NEW YORK				
July	13.74	13.90	13.70	13.88
October	13.90	14.04	13.86	14.03
December	14.03	14.15	13.96	14.14
January	14.04	14.15	13.97	14.17
March	14.07	14.20	14.01	14.20
May	14.08	14.22	14.01	14.22

### French Agree to Keep Fight Confined There

#### Avoid North African Involvement, But Spurn Surrender of Syria

VICHY—(P)—Allied forces in a tank-led drive of several kilometers have reached the outskirts of Sidon on the Lebanese coast, 25 miles south of Beirut, and are now battling French defenders in the environs of Damascus, the French high command announced Friday.

The communique asserted that Canadian troops were in one Allied column that gained a foothold on an advance post in the Merdjayoun-Hasbaya area.

Both at Sidon and in the vicinity of Kisseou, 10 miles south of Damascus, French forces are still vigorously resisting, it was reported.

#### Vichy Indignant

VICHY—(P)—France has warned Britain that continuation of the invasion of Syria would be considered as part of a fixed British policy to attack her interests, it was disclosed semi-officially Friday.

#### Keep War to Syria

LONDON—(P)—The French government informed Britain Friday that it would avoid taking any action which might aggravate or spread the conflict in Syria and Lebanon.

The Vichy government, in a statement dated June 8 had asserted the Allied attack on French-mandated territory "risks the production of grave consequences" and stated that the French government was determined to defend its territory and possessions with all the means at its disposal.

The British government, expressing pleasure at the French assurance, replied partly that action in Syria was based on facts and that "His Majesty's government cannot be expected to enter into argument with the Vichy government on the subject of the meaning of collaboration."

#### Damascus Surrounded

CAIRO—(P)—Free French forces have completed the encirclement of Damascus, Syrian capital, and apparently the outcome depends on negotiations for a peaceful occupation of the city, authorized sources said Friday night.

The sources said that such a solution was much preferred by the British and their Allies, and declared there had been at least one instance in the five-day campaign where Vichy French defense posts had surrendered after discussion under a white flag.

#### French Spurn Peace

LONDON—(P)—Refused in a peace gesture, British and "Free French" forces in Lebanon and Syria were authoritatively reported Friday to be closing in on Beirut, Lebanon capital, and bombarding all bases for a final assault on Damascus, Syrian capital.

High London sources said British forces on the Mediterranean shore had

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### H. B. Brown, 71 Dies at Fulton

#### Funeral to Be Held There at 2 p. m. Saturday

H. B. Brown, 71, died Thursday night at his home in Fulton after a long illness. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the home, with burial in Fulton cemetery.

Mr. Brown moved to Fulton from Tennessee 20 years ago. He is survived by his widow and three children, Jack of Fulton, Woodie of Texarkana, Mrs. Frank Biddle of Spring Hill; and one brother, Elvin Brown, Lancaster, Texas.

### Year's Leave Given Principal J. Jones

Principal J. H. Jones of Hope High School was granted a year's leave of absence by the school board at its final session of the school year Thursday, but there was no announcement as to his plans, and authoritative sources said it was still not certain whether Mr. Jones would be missing from the faculty for 1941-42.



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In Memphis, Tenn., a wife uses a pair of handcuffs to guard her morning milk. She fastens one side of the cuffs to the porch at night and the milkman slips the bottle in the other side and snaps it shut.

### Answer to Cranium Cracker

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1. Texas (265,896 sq. mi.) is 21 1/2 times larger in area than Rhode Island (1248 sq. mi.) and has a population (6,418,321) nine times larger than Rhode Island's 713,346.

2. Colorado, Wyoming and Utah are only states entirely bounded by straight lines.

3. No. Mississippi river bounds Mississippi, but doesn't run thru the state.

4. Florida has the longest coast line, 1197 miles, including 798 miles of gulf coast line. California has the longest all-ocean coast line, 913 miles.

5. Michigan is split in two by Lake Michigan and Lake Huron.

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By RUTH MILLETT  
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THANK YOU, SERGEANT, BUT YOU CHUG ALONG WITHOUT US! I FEEL A BIT CHURLISH, PREYING ON YOUR HOSPITALITY—RUBE AND I ENJOY RAMBLING THROUGH THE COUNTRYSIDE—SO HEALTHFUL, YOU KNOW—HAR-RUMPH!

YER, THEY SAY WALKIN' ADDS YEARS TO A MAN'S LIFE!

**RAMBLING BEATS SCRAMBLING**

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Public Affairs of the City of Hope, Arkansas, until 10:00 o'clock A. M., Friday, June 20, 1941, in the Mayor's office at the City Hall, for the furnishing of all labor, materials, and supervision, for the construction of an addition to the office of the Hope Water & Light Plant.

Plans and Specifications may be obtained from Chas. G. Thomas, Sup't. of the Water and Light Plant upon the payment of \$2.00, which will be refunded to unsuccessful bidders upon the return of the Plans and Specifications in good condition.

The Board of Public Affairs of the City of Hope, Arkansas reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive irregularities and to accept the bid which in their judgment, is to the best interests of the Hope Water and Light Plant.

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June 9, 11, 13

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WHAT'S GOING ON IN THERE? HEY, LUGNIT! OPEN THE DOOR!

GREAT SCOT! I LUGNITE BEEN KNOCKED OUT!

### POPEYE

YER THE MOMMA AN' I YAMA POPPA—WE'A PORTENDIN' WE'A GETTIN' TABLE WIT' SHELLS

POPEYE IS PLAYIN' HOUSEY WITH MY SWEETIE

I DON'T BELIEVE IT

ESCUSE ME, I HAPTA GO NOW

### DONALD DUCK

AND HAVE THE MOVIN' MEN HERE AT SEVEN A.M. SHARP OR Y'DONT GET PAID. UNDERSTAND? I GOTTA BE OUTTA THIS HOUSE BY EIGHT OR PAY ANOTHER DAY'S RENT!

### BLONDIE

I GAVE DAISY'S PUPPY ELMER TO MRS. MUFFET—SHE'LL GIVE HIM A GOOD HOME

GOOD—SHE LIKES DOGS

### BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

GEE WHIZ! IT'S GONNA BE MIGHTY ANNOYIN' WITH UNCLE BILL GONE

BOOTS... HONEY, HEAR AM DE MAIL WHAT'S PILED UP FO' YOU!

OH

### RED RYDER

THE BANKS CLOSED, LITTLE BEAVER, RECKON I'LL HAVE TO KEEP THE DUCHESSE CATTLE MONEY ON ME!

ME THINKIN' CHINA MAN WATCHUM US, YOU BETCHUM!

### ALLEY OOP

BUT, ALLEY THIS WILD PURSUIT OF OSCAR BOOM IS ABSURD! YOU'RE ABSOLUTELY NOT IDEA OF HIS WHEREABOUTS.

AND I TELL YUH, DOC, FOOTPRINTS DON'T LIE! HE'S ON A SHIP SOME—WHERE—AN' I'LL FIND HIM OR BUST!

WHETHER OOP BUSTS OR NOT REMAINS TO BE SEEN, BUT HIS INTERPRETATION OF THE MESSAGE OF THE FOOTPRINTS ON THE BEACH WAS UNCANNILY ACCURATE!

BUT BLAST THY FILTHY HIDES, I DON'T WANT TO GO ABOARD YOUR CRUMMY TUB.

STOW THY GAB, SWAB!

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

YOU KIDS DID A SWELL JOB—THEY PLACE IS JAMMED!

AND DO I FEEL RELIEF'D! WE SURB WE'RE JITTERY ABOUT THE WHOLE THING UP TO AN HOUR AGO!

WHEN'S GLORIA GONNA SHOW UP? WE HAVEN'T SEEN HER YET!

DON'T YOU WORRY ABOUT HER BEING HERE, MY FRIEND

—JUST LET ME DO THE WORRYING!

WE COMPLETELY FORGOT ABOUT ANNOUNCING SHED BE HERE! WHAT'LL WE DO, FRECK?

IF WE HAVE TO REFUND THIS DOUGH, I'LL LOSE MY MIND!

ME AND YOU BOTH! LET'S HIDE IT—THEN IF WE LOSE OUR MINDS, WE WON'T REMEMBER WHERE WE PUT IT!

### Good Old Easy

WE'LL SHOW THAT BLANKETY-BLANKED 6-MAN LET YOUR GUNS COMRADES! BREAK THE DOOR DOWN!!

2 WOULDNT TRY THAT IF I WERE YOU, NEXT TIME I'LL AM LOWER

### Pardon My Dialect!

OH, HELLO, I SEE YOU ARE PLAYIN' ALL ALONE

YAS, I YAMMA MOMMA AN' I YAM PERTENDIN' I YAM SETTIN' A TABLE WIT' SHELLS

WHAT DID YOU SAY? OH, ESCUSE ME!

### Thimble Theater

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### Where's Your Month Instinct, Dagwood?

MRS. MUFFET, I'M SORRY, BUT YOU'LL HAVE TO GIVE ELMER BACK TO ME RIGHT AWAY

HOW WOULD YOU FEEL IF SOMEONE GAVE AWAY OUR NEW BABY?

### By Edgar Martin

Jeff just wrote! He has joined an overseas flying unit! I just can't help feeling that I'm to blame! Oh, my dear—

### Many a Slip

BUT AT THAT INSTANT, TWO BLACK JACKS CRASHED DOWN ON THEIR HEADS!

AND AS RED FALLS UNCONSCIOUS, TWO WANDS SNAATCH CATTLE MONEY FROM HIM!

### Oscar Boom, Prisoner

PICKED 'IM UP ON TH' BEACH, EH? HMM! UGLY LOOKIN' BRUTE, AIN'T HE?

AYE, CAPT'N, AND NO FOOLIN'—HE'S JUST AS UGLY AS HE LOOKS

HE BANGED US AROUND PLENTY BEFORE WE GOT 'IM!

WE SHOULD'A SHOT 'IM, THAT'S WHAT!

SEE WHAT HE DID TO ME!

### A Precarious Position

By Merrill Blosser



# SOCIETY

Daisy Dorothy Heard, Editor

Telephone 768

## Social Calendar

**Friday, June 13th**  
Mrs. W. R. Herndon and Mrs. Roy Powell have named Mrs. Dick Forster honoree at an afternoon bridge, 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Ruth Taylor will meet with the Home Economics girls who are working on home projects at the cottage, 9:30.

Mrs. Clyde Hill will entertain a few friends informally in honor of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Andrews of McAllen, Texas, 4 o'clock.

**Monday, June 16th**  
Circle No. 1 and Circle No. 2 of the W. M. S. of the First Christian church, meet at the Fair Park for annual picnic. Circle No. 2 will be the hostess circle.

Unit No. 1 of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal church, home of Mrs. Clyde Hill, 4 o'clock.

**Mrs. O. A. Graves Has Chatterbox Club**  
On Thursday afternoon members of the Chatterbox club met at the home of Mrs. O. A. Graves.

Lovely garden flowers decorated the Graves' home for the occasion.

Mrs. R. M. Briant and her guest, Mrs. Thomas Williams were the only guests other than the club members.

**Mrs. Carter Johnson Is Hostess**  
On Thursday afternoon members of the Chatterbox club met at the home of Mrs. Carter Johnson when she was hostess to the members of the Thursday Contract bridge club. There were no guests other than the club members.

The hostess used summer garden flowers to decorate her home.

After the games scores were counted and delicious refreshments were served to those playing.

**Mrs. R. R. Forster Is Named Honoree**  
Thursday club members were invited to the home of Mrs. Vincent Foster yesterday afternoon when she entertained the club in honor of Mrs. R. R. Forster, who is leaving soon for her new home in Shreveport.

Roses, hydrangeas, and daisies formed the decorations for the card rooms where bridge was played from two tables. After the games Mrs. Foster was presented with a dainty gift.

Mrs. Dorsey McFar Jr. won the lovely high score prize.

A delicious salad course was served during the afternoon.

## Personal Mention

Paul Palmer of Rice Institute, Houston, Texas has arrived in the city to spend the summer.

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at Bellhaven college, Jackson, Mississippi, arrived Monday night to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barr.

Gresham Reed left Friday morning for his home in Redding, California after a visit with relatives and friends in the city.

Friends of C. F. Routon will be glad to know that he is able to be removed to his home in the city from a Texarkana hospital.

Mrs. N. W. Denly and children, Phyllis and Buddy, will be week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Robins.

Mrs. J. D. Ligon of Houston, Texas and Mrs. C. M. Hervey of Texarkana have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Reed this week. They will spend the week-end in Texarkana, returning to Hope Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Anderson and daughter, Ann, of Little Rock will be the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson.

Members of the John Cain chapter, D. A. R., will attend the district flag day meet in Prescott Saturday. A luncheon at the Hotel Loda will be the feature of the day's events.

Dr. L. M. Lile accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Luck to Mayo's clinic at Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Luck will receive treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenney McKee of Garland City were Thursday visitors in the city. They were accompanied home by Mrs. McKee's sister, Miss Dorothy Moore, and Miss Alice Jones.

Miss Martha Houston and her guest, Miss Betty Proctor of Greensboro, South Carolina are spending the week-end in Gordon, the guests of Mrs. Glen Black.

Mrs. Jim O'Neal and son, Robert, Miss Mary Duncan, and Mrs. Earnest Hackler have returned from Bolton, Texas where they attended the bedside of their brother, Dr. George Campbell.

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Baptist church will also baptize her candidates at that time.

Ladies Auxiliary meets Monday afternoon, 2:30.

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Our sincere welcome awaits all who can and will attend these services with us "Come, let us worship together."

**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

Race Prejudice, Rampant Today, Was Ruled Out by Early Christians

Text: Acts 13:44-52; Galatians 3:25-29

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.  
Editor of Advance

Our lesson, it should be remembered, is from the story of the first missionary journey of Paul. With Barnabas as his companion, and also with young John Mark, he had gone from Antioch in Syria to the coast, sailing thence to the island of Cyprus.

From Cyprus the three had gone to the mainland of Asia Minor and they had come to another of the numerous cities named Antioch, namely, Antioch in Pisidia.

Here on the Sabbath Day they had gone into the synagogue and Paul had preached the sermon, a part of which is recorded. It made such a great impression upon the gathering that there was a request that Paul should preach it again the next Sabbath. Apparently, the fame of Paul had spread throughout the city, and a great company gathered to hear him who were apparently not all Jews.

Trouble began to develop. It was the sort of trouble that usually develops where someone with a new gospel, or a new emphasis, comes preaching, gains a hearing and quickly arouses either the jealousy or the opposition of the constituted religious authorities. It was the sort of thing that John Wesley encountered again and again in his itinerant preaching in England.

In times when anti-Semitic prejudice is rife, even in America, we should beware of condemning the Jews who were reluctant to receive Christian teaching, or who regarded this new teaching as upsetting to the religious institutions and ideas in which they had long been trained. The sort of opposition that Paul and Barnabas encountered has not been confined to any one time, or to those of any one race or any one religion, and it must be remembered that Paul and Barnabas were themselves Jews.

However, the opposition of the Jews in Antioch had a very important result, for when Paul and Barnabas saw the interest aroused among the Gentiles in the city they turned from the Jews, who were unwilling to hear them, to preach the new gospel to the Gentiles. They found very distinct warrant for this in the Jewish Scriptures in the command of the Lord: "I have set thee for a light of the Gentiles, that thou shouldst be for salvation unto the uttermost part of the earth."

The fury of religious prejudice is not easily assuaged. In the name of religion, men who profess to be acting conscientiously, can sometimes do the most distasteful things. What might have been a local church quarrel became a matter of the city itself; and the Jews who were hostile to Paul and Barnabas, stirring persecution against Paul and Barnabas that they were forced to leave the city.

But now, from a few verses in the Epistle to the Galatians, we come to the most important part of our lesson, namely, its statement that the Christian experience is not limited to either Jew or Gentile, but that in Christ there is neither Jew nor Greek, neither bond nor free, neither male nor female, but that all are one.

This is the essential teaching of Christianity which it is so hard even for Christians to grasp and practice. It strikes at the very root of all narrowness and bigotry and prejudice, and it asserts at the same time the only sort of unity that can be real and genuine.

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Behind came a fifth man in a gray overcoat, inconspicuous in every way except for bright dark eyes that seemed to see everything in the hall in one swift glance. Deborah looked for Wilhelm's sturdy figure; but Wilhelm was not among those present.

As soon as the man in the gray overcoat spoke, Deborah recognized his voice as the crisp, impersonal one she had heard over the telephone.

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FROM that moment it was Bridge who took charge—Bridge who led the grim procession upstairs, who found linen and extra covers, and stood by while Dr. Bingham did his grisly work. For when Deborah tried to follow the physician took her arm and led her gently away.

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"He will not," said Dr. Bingham patiently, "want any one or anything for some time to come. His first glimmer of consciousness is very likely to be an unpleasant suspicion that he is about to be most unromantically sick at his stomach."

MUCH later, it was the little man with the bright eyes, who slipped down to the front hall to carry on a conversation with someone at the front door. Deborah could not hear much, although she crept to the top of the stairway and shamelessly strained her ears. A few phrases she did catch:

"So the other one got away, after all?"

"Clean," another voice answered from the doorstep. "And say! If that lad pulls through, his skull's sure made of good honest stuff. We found what he was hit with—and it was plenty."

About dawn Deborah went to the kitchen to make coffee.

As she picked up the tray to go upstairs, the telephone rang. Before she could reach the instrument Mr. Hilton was there.

"The Herald?" he was saying. "How did you boys get hold of this? . . . Who did? . . . Okay. You may say he was trapped with information for a foreign government in his possession. . . . Yes, fatally wounded. We—hold everything!"

He had just seen Deborah. Deborah remembered stumbling with shaking fingers to brace herself against the frame of the hall door. She remembered Mr. Hilton's remorseful face bending over her, comically foreshortened as she slumped to the floor.

(To Be Continued)

**Meet John Doe at Saenger, Sun., Mon., Tues.**

Starring Gary Cooper, Barbara Stanwyck and Edward Arnold

**Edson in Washington**

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## Wonder Woman of Science

**'Invisible Glass' Pioneer Gets Big Chance**

By ADELAIDE KERR  
AP Feature Writer

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—Some day your eyeglasses may be invisible on your face. Some day you may see showcases whose glass walls seem to have disappeared. Some day your doctor may discover cause and cure of a baffling ailment by measuring your corpulent thickness with a color scale.

If those twentieth century "miracles" do come true, their roots will reach back to a Schenectady science laboratory and a crisp little spinster—Dr. Katharine Blodgett—one of the world's

wanted for delivery. Then, by enforcing the rule of don't-load-til-you-can-unload, it was possible to make sure the roofing didn't arrive before the structural steel and have to stand around on sidings in box-cars.

That same principle has been used in handling all the material being shipped to Britain under the lend lease bill. Goods are simply not shipped to the seaboard until there is a boat in port ready to receive its cargo.

One of the first acts in the present emergency was for the railroads to put a manager of military transportation in the office of the quarter-master general in Washington. It was Navy contracts, supply problems and troop movements. Working through the car service division of the Association of American Railroads, it was the function of this office to anticipate railroad problems and see that the equipment was available to do the hauling job at the time required.

The next problem was to anticipate what the probable rail loads might be, right through 1942. The railroads asked the government for its estimates, and the slide rule boys in the statistical section of what is now Office of Production Management got busy. By a neat calculation based on what they expected the national income to be, this year and next, and the relation of that income to the national income and the freight hauled in 1926, and 1929, the years that the railroads broke all records, they came up with the calculation that freight car loadings for this year would be 76 per cent of the 1926-29 peak average, and 1942 loadings about 81 per cent.

The peak job for the railroads will therefore come in October, 1942, when they estimate some 900,000 cars will be loaded, with the total for next year at 424,900 cars. The record for 1929 was 53,000,000 cars.

**Strike Threat Ahead**  
Equipment now being better, with freight train efficiency and performance twice as good as it was in 1920 as to speed of trains, freight per car and per train, the railroads think they can do the job ahead.

Railroads won't, of course, be without their headaches. Staring at them are threats of priorities control, restriction of shipping facilities to manufacturers not complying with governmental price regulation and, most the threat of a strike of their 1,150,000 direct and most important of all, 600 employees for increased wages of half a billion dollars a year.

This is another one of those strikes "that won't be allowed to happen," but the success of negotiations will be a test of the model Railway Mediation Board and its cooling off machinery.

**STANDINGS**  
SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Atlanta	43	19	.694
Nashville	35	23	.603
New Orleans	31	27	.530
Knoxville	31	27	.530
Chattanooga	28	32	.467
Memphis	26	30	.464
Birmingham	27	36	.429
Little Rock	18	38	.321

**Thursday's Results**  
Knoxville 3, Chattanooga 2.  
New Orleans 6, Birmingham 3.  
Little Rock 4, Memphis 3.  
Only games scheduled.

**Games Friday**  
Memphis at Little Rock.  
Chattanooga at Knoxville.  
Nashville at Atlanta.  
New Orleans at Birmingham.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	35	20	.643
New York</			



# Frank Capra's 1941 Production Opens at Saenger on Sunday

## Current Hit Said to Top All Others

'Meet John Doe' Stars Gary Cooper and Barbara Stanwyck

The eagerly awaited showing of Frank Capra's newest production, "Meet John Doe," will begin on Sunday at the Saenger theater, according to word received from the management. Gary Cooper and Barbara Stanwyck are co-stars.

Columbus discovered America for Queen Isabella in 1492. And Frank Capra and Robert Riskin discovered it for Americans in 1941.

Capra and Riskin, director and writer of "Meet John Doe," have put on the screen as thrilling entertainment an incontrovertible fact that most of us have overlooked or completely forgotten; that a people or a nation are as strong as the small people of that nation want it to be.

This famed writer-director combination, who took apart the Genus Americanus in such human documents as "You Can't Take It With You," "Lost Horizon" and "Dr. Deeds Goes to Town" search deeply into the soul of our American way through the eyes of John Doe in their new film.

"Riskin's 'John Doe' as played by Gary Cooper is everyman."

"John Doe is the man who reaches into the return slot of a pay telephone, hoping to grab a nickel someone forgot. He is also the guy who will give his last dime to a beggar on the street. He is the guy who will do anything within the law to beat a fellowman on a business deal and when he has succeeded will take the guy out and spend twice as much as he made getting the fellow drunk. He is the same fellow who will sneer 'Flag Waving' at a display of patriotism, but will knock another chap's block off for saying anything against the flag or against the nation."

Capra and Riskin bring all these back to the minds of Americans through the film "Meet John Doe" in the for most good solid entertainment. It is their hope that in some small measure they may be able to get the whole nation singing: "Hello John Doe, Whataya Know?"

Efficient Employer (to newly hired typist): "Now I hope you thoroughly understand the importance of punctuation?" Stenographer: "Oh, yes, indeed. I always get to work on time."

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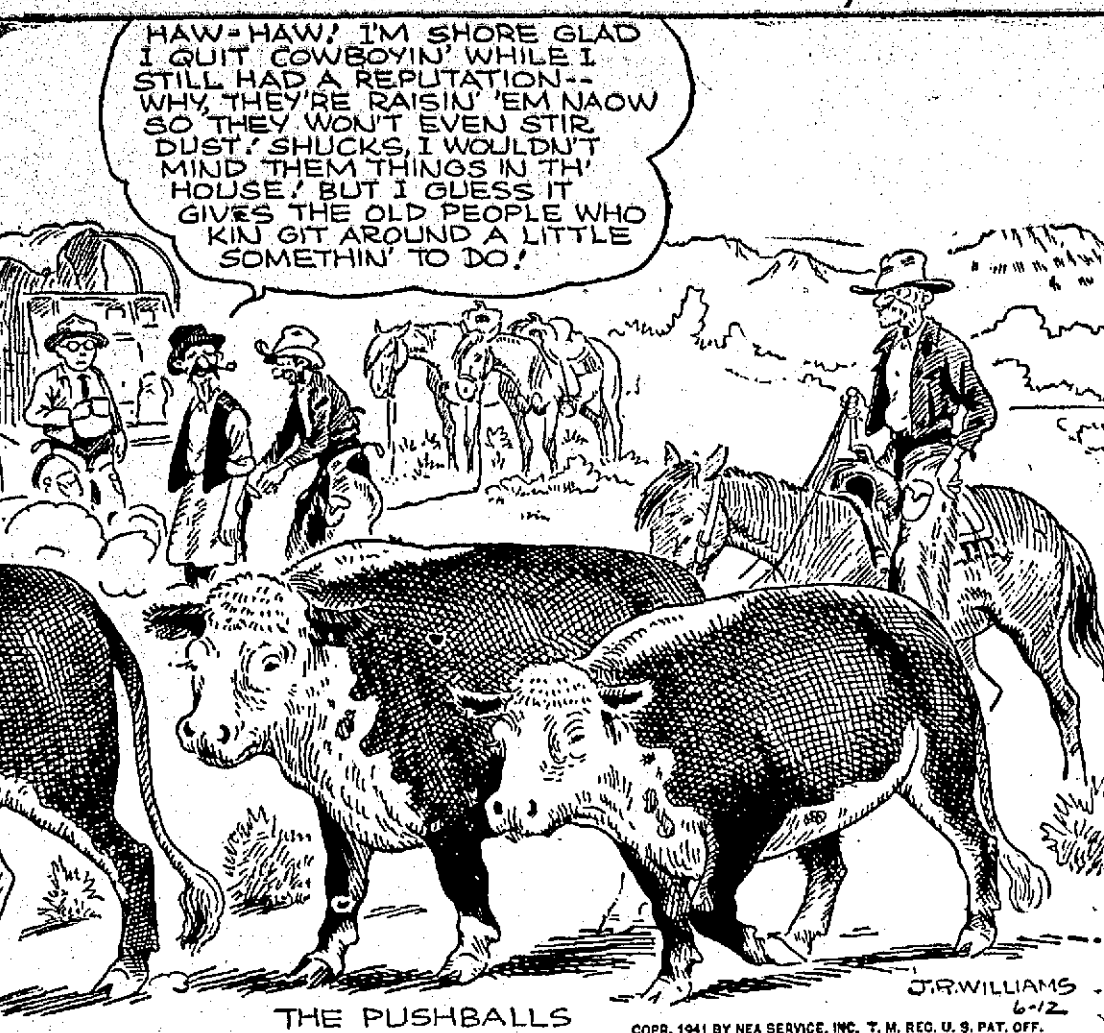


**Adoreen Knows  
All the Answers—  
All Except One!**

**Read "Caliban  
From Caleb"**  
Begins Monday  
June 16  
Hope Star

## OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



THE PUSHBALLS

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## Junior C. of C.

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W. M. Etter  
Thompson Evans Jr.  
Talbot Feids Sr.  
A. S. Fink  
Vincent Foster  
Clifford Franks  
Herbert Griffin  
James Gunter  
A. L. Hardage  
Van Hayes  
Henry Hicks  
G. A. Hobbs  
F. M. Horton  
Speedy Huston  
Paul Jones  
J. H. Jones  
Raymond Jones  
Thomas Keeler  
Ray Luck  
John B. Lowe  
Dr. J. Martindale  
J. W. Mills  
H. A. Morgan  
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Dorsey McRae Jr.  
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Martin Pool  
Jack Pritchett  
Earl Rogers  
George Robison  
Royce Smith  
Julian Spillers  
H. G. Sommerville  
Wingfield Stroud  
Frank Walters  
Tom Wardlaw  
R. Weisenberger  
Ferrill Williams  
Joe Wright  
Cecil Wyatt

## French Agree

(Continued On Page Eight)

pushed north of Sidon west to a point within 20 miles of Beirut, while Free French forces had taken two villages.

The Middle East Command at Cairo acknowledged the Allies had been temporarily delayed in certain sectors by the resistance of the Vichy troops but reported progress had been made in all sectors Thursday.

The Vichy government answered with all arms at its command a British overture by way of Madrid suggesting that to save much bloodshed the French should instruct their forces to offer no further resistance.

Britain disavowed any territorial designs against French territory and declared the invasion of Syria and Lebanon by Free French and British forces—Vichy avowed notwithstanding—was necessary to counter German ambitions.

Reuters, British news agency, said it was understood in Cairo that Allied forces had surrounded Damascus and were holding up the final drive only to avoid bloodshed.

King George VI of England belongs to the royal house of Windsor.

## Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

### Legs Back as Major Movie Scenery

Lucie Neville is pinch-hitting for Paul Harrison now touring army camps and defense industries.

By LUCIE NEVILLE  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD — Not since they were beginners in Hollywood, where the uniform of apprenticeship is a bathing suit, have featured actresses displayed so many legs as now. Time was when leg-shyness increased in proportion to dramatic prominence and even Legs Dietrich withdrew into long, languorous gowns.

The movie-makers figured that something had to be done in the way of revelation, what with the censor's sternness regarding necklines and outlines. The glamor merchants also figured that the Hays Office couldn't very well ban bathing suits in which the very best people expose themselves.

So now we've got legs, even in the formal evening shorts introduced by Paulette Goddard. Madeline Carroll, suitably clad, is about to be towed around under water by Stirling Hayden. Olivia de Havilland, who was the cinematic soul of modesty until she turned flit in "One Sunday Afternoon," now goes swimming for "Hold Back the Dawn" in an undergarment so filmy that it had to be supplemented by a flesh-colored suit.

Betty Takes a Bath  
Bathing—the practical tub and show or kind—also has become more popular for screen scenes than it has been Cecil De Mille first glorified plumbings. Betty Grable takes a shower in "A Yank in the R.A.F." and Carole Landis does likewise in "Dance Hall."

Dorothy Lamour doffs her sarong, though she's not shown doing it, to dunk in a soapy tub for "Aloma of the South Seas." Actually the sarong (which she also wears) is less revealing than the suds. And maybe you've noticed that in "The Great American Broadcast" Alice Faye makes an appearance in a bath towel.

Loretta Young, who hasn't gone leggy in years, emerges in a ballet costume for "Tonight Belongs to Us." Nobody will notice Martha Raye's mouth when she wears a hula costume in "Navy Blues." In the same picture Ann Sheridan prances in shorts and a sort of nautical bolero. Even Sonja Henie, whose figure is familiar enough in practical skating costumes, goes a bit daring in "Sun Valley Serenade" now that her architecture is more glamorous and less sturdily athletic.

Orsatti's Mixed Up  
When a former model named June Francis came to Hollywood recently she was introduced to Victor Orsatti, an agent who might have been helpful to her career. However, they didn't reach a business agreement; just chat-

ted awhile. Soon afterward Miss Francis became the client of another agent, got a contract at Paramount and changed her name to Katharine Booth.

Introduced a second time to Orsatti as Miss Booth, she mumbled her real name to remind him they'd met before. He didn't understand; thought the girls were roommates or something. Next day Orsatti, a bachelor who really gets around, telephoned Katharine Booth for a date. "Incidentally, I've got a friend," he added, "and I wish you'd bring June Francis for him." She promised.

So it was a three-sided date that evening with the men feeling pretty silly and Miss Booth having the time of her life.

## Ask Car Prices Be Kept Low

Manufacturers Requested to Revoke Recent Hike

By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON — Five automobile manufacturers who recently raised prices \$10 to \$35 on various models were asked Thursday by Leon Henderson, price administrator, to withdraw the increases at once to aid in resisting inflation.

Henderson announced his office would watch used car prices closely next season when the "pressure comes from the curtailment of new models." Manufacturers have agreed to cut production of next season's models 20 per cent.

"Recent price advances are inconsistent with the favorable earnings position of the industry as a whole during recent periods," Henderson told manufacturers. He said "maintenance of stable prices and prevention of inflationary price tendencies make imperative sound leadership by the automobile industry at this time."

Henderson told the companies in "event of specific hardship prompt adjustment of this request will be made."

The request was sent to the Ford Motor Company, the Chrysler Corporation, the Nash-Kelvinator Corporation, the Studebaker Corporation, and the Hudson Motor Car Company.

## British Claim Battleship Hit

Says German Pocket-Battleship Torpedoed off Norway

LONDON — (AP)—The air ministry announced Friday that a German pocket-battleship had been hit by a torpedo fired by a British plane off the Norwegian coast early Friday.

The communiqué said dense clouds of smoke rose from the vessel, and later the battleship, which was unidentified, was seen to be standing off the southern point of Norway.

Still later the battleship and destroyers were observed to be retiring at a reduced speed, it was said.

Germany has two pocket battleships of the 10,000-ton class carrying 11-inch guns, since the scuttling of the Graf Spee in 1939.

**French Government Clamps Down on Jews**

VICHY — (AP)—The French government Friday clamped down on all Jews in occupied and unoccupied territory, virtually barring them from all professions with a special law providing heavy penalties.

## State 4-H Club Members to Washington

Four Arkansas Youths Will Attend National Meet June 18-25

Four Arkansas 4-H Club members will attend the annual National 4-H Club Encampment in Washington, D. C., June 18-25, as guests of the Arkansas Farm Bureau Federation.

They are Troy Cox of Jackson county, Cleoh Smith of Jefferson county, Martha Lou Foreman of White county, and Helen Gibbons of Union county, whose outstanding records in 4-H club work last year gave them state championship recognition.

For the past three years the Farm Bureau has awarded trips to the national encampment or handsome gold watches to state champions and runners-up, cash prizes to district and state championship clubs, watches to district champions, and medals to county champions.

Arkansas' representatives will join rural youths from other states, Puerto Rico, and Alaska, in what is expected to be the most interesting gathering of club boys and girls in the history of the encampment. Delegates will live for a week in tents in the shadow of Washington's monument. There will be the usual radio broadcasts and special ceremonies, and probably a personal greeting from Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt herself.

"Rural Youth's Responsibilities in the Present Crisis" will be the theme of this year's meeting, with national defense, a better understanding of other republics in the Western Hemisphere, and activities during the post-war period coming in for major attention.

## Young Baptists to Hold Meet

Dr. Leo Eddleman Will Conduct Services

The Young People of First Baptist church announce a week of revival services beginning on Sunday, June 22. Dr. Leo Eddleman, who has recently completed five years of services as a Southern Baptist Missionary in Palestine, will preach at both the morning and evening hours.

Committees of young people have been formed to lead in the various phases of the meeting and are working to make the revival a real blessing and challenge to the youth of the community. Rehearsals of a young people's choir have been held for several weeks.

All the young people, and all those interested in young people, are given a cordial invitation to be present at the 10 o'clock morning and 8 o'clock evening services at the First Baptist church, June 22 through June 29.

## Goebbels Article Ordered Confiscated

BERLIN — (AP)—A part of an edition of Adolf Hitler's newspaper, the Volkischer Beobachter containing an article by Propaganda Minister Goebbels which said Britain would err if she thought water was an obstacle was ordered confiscated Friday.

Authorized sources declined to comment on the reason for the confiscation.

## McCASKILL

Mrs. Fred Baird and daughter, Miss Hilda Whiteside of Little Rock visited relatives here one day this past week.

Miss Dorothy Sevedge of the Ft. Smith High School faculty returned this week to spend the summer with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sevedge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gould visited relatives in Murfreesboro Sunday.

Eugene and Sarah Salter of Mississippi are visiting their grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sligh Sr.

Little Miss Janette Bryant of Camden is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Gaines.

Miss La Verne Harper left Friday for Arkadelphia where she will enter Henderson State Teachers College.

Orin Hampton left Thursday for El Dorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hood of El Dorado the week-end here visiting relatives.

Jim Gentry and Mary Lou Thomas of Prescott spent this week with their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. I. E. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fowler spent one night here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anthony and Miss Bonnie visited relatives in Murfreesboro Sunday.

Miss Hortense Gardner of Nashville spent this week with her sister, Mrs. Ray Calhoun.

Lawrence Hood of Texas spent the week end here with his brother, W. D. Hood and family.

Van Hamilton and Bill Scott returned Friday from Fayetteville where they attended the University the past term.

**Early Horse**

The history of horses is traceable back to the Tertiary geological period. At that time, there existed a tiny fox-like creature whose several tiny legs helped it to get about on soft, swampy ground, and from this animal evolved the modern horse.

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1 Important commercial tree.  
9 It is the source of candy.  
12 Choking bit.  
13 Smell.  
14 Biblical priest.  
15 To harness horses together.  
16 Tardier.  
17 Stalk.  
19 Operating.  
21 To repair.  
22 Black.  
24 Wolfish.  
28 Cuckoo.  
30 Egg-shaped.  
31 African tribe.  
32 Logger's boot.  
33 One that vaalops.  
36 Roof ornament.  
37 Moving trucks.  
38 Act of storing.  
42 Disciple of reform.

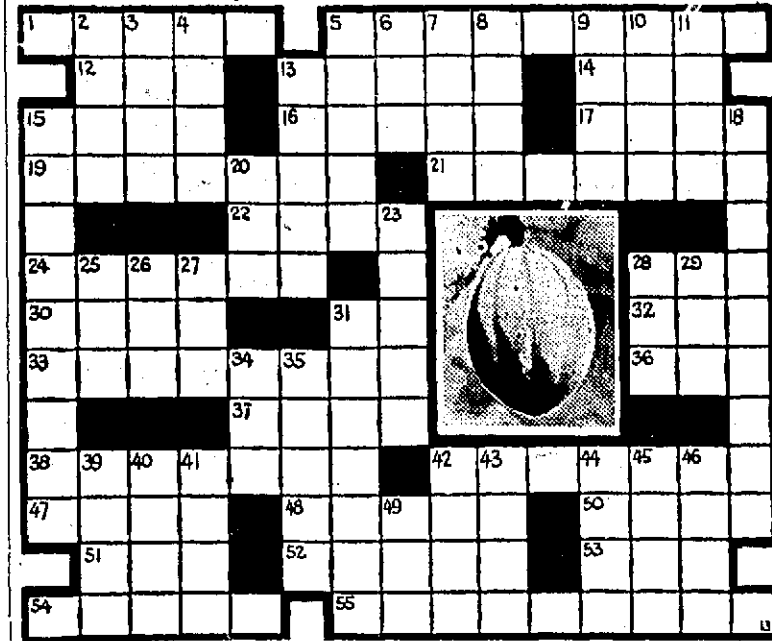
**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

**SOLOMON PROVERBS**

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NORMAN WIDE  
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FEETSTOONS PO  
I S NAV DON  
CUTEST RELEGATE  
ETON ELEM ANIL  
NEAN AIDES ROLL  
I DEARS SHEBA V

**VERTICAL**

13 To place in line.  
16 It has a flower.  
18 Its oil is used in —.  
20 Cotton picker.  
23 12 months (pl.).  
25 Pulpy fruit.  
26 Chum.  
27 Sick.  
28 Monkey.  
29 To doze.  
31 Opposed to specific.  
34 Eggs.  
35 Heathen.  
39 Heavy volume.  
40 Instrument.  
41 Crucifix.  
42 Brother of Cain.  
43 Time gone by.  
44 Slovak.  
45 Tissue.  
46 List.  
49 God of sky.



## Italians Admit Loss of Assab

Second Port of Eritrea Is Captured by British

ROME — (AP)—The Italian high command acknowledged Friday the loss of Assab, second port of Eritrea, to an "Anglo-Indian naval force which bombarded the town after Italian forces had withdrawn."

Italian forces near Uoleheft, in north Ethiopia, were reported to have held and hurled back new British attacks, inflicting heavy casualties.

A British attack on Dabrabor in Ethiopia with the support of aircraft was also repulsed, the war bulletin said.

## Senator

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locks his office door and picks up his mail before his secretaries have arrived. He gets out of bed at 5, so why not come to work at 8?

He believes in saying "No" to a con-

stituent, if "No" is the answer. He found other Senators introducing special bills for individual claims, just to make the individual feel good. "But if the bill has no chance to pass, why fool the man? Why waste everybody's efforts? No, tell him it can't be done." We could do with a few more Senators who have no ambition to succeed themselves.

LEON PEARSON.

New Brunswick Coal  
New Brunswick's coal mines produced 31,867 tons of the mineral in June, 1939, as compared to only 22,389 tons in June of the preceding year.

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